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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PINT, GW
SUBJECT: FILBINGER AFFAIR - RESIGNATION*

REF: STUTTGART 1484

1. HANS FILBINGER TODAY ANNOUNCED HIS RESIGNATION AS MINISTER-PRESIDENT OF BADEN-WUERTTEMBERG* HE WILL REMAIN AS LAND CHAIRMAN OF THE CDU PARTY.

2. AFTER SPECIAL MEETINGS ON AUG. 7 OF THE CDU LANDTAG FACTION AND THE LANDESVORSTAND (STATE COMMITTEE), FILBINGER BOWED TO THE MOUNTING PRESSURE FOR HIS RESIGNATION WHICH RESULTED FROM THE LATEST DISCLOSURE (SEE REFTEL) OF YET ANOTHER DEATH SENTENCE
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HE WAS INVOLVED IN. ALTHOUGH FILBINGER WAS STILL STATING DURING THE PAST WEEKEND HE HAD NO INTENTION OF RESIGNING, THE SPECIAL MEETINGS, AND INTENSIVE DELIBERATIONS OF CDU BADEN-WUERTTEMBERG PARTY LEADERS AT LAST CONVINCED FILBINGER HE COULD NO LONGER REMAIN MINISTER-PRESIDENT. IN A DECISION THAT MAY, AT LEAST TO SOME DEGREE, CONTINUE THE CONTROVERSY, FILBINGER IS STAYING ON AS CDU BADEN-WURTTEMBERG PARTY CHAIRMAN. A SPECIAL SESSION

OF THE LANDTAG TO ELECT FILBINGER'S SUCCESSOR IS NOT EXPECTED
BEFORE NEXT WEEK AT THE EARLIEST. ADDITIONAL DETAILS AND COMMENT
ON THE IMPACT OF FILBINGER'S RESIGNATION WILL FOLLOW IN
FUTURE MESSAGES.
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